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Unemployment insurance claims for the week ending March 3, 2001

There was an decrease in the number of regular unemployment insurance claims filed in Indiana during the week ending March 3 according to the Department of Workforce Development.

UI Benefit STATS

Regular state & federal benefits paid	\$14,211,392
Regular benefits paid year to date	\$121,712,524
Trust fund balance	\$1,513,799,791

A total of 72,716 unemploy-

ment claims were filed during the week. This was down 476 from the preceding week. In the same week one year ago, 43,843 unemployment claims were filed.

Initial UI claims totaled 7,408 a decrease of 559 over the preceding week's total. Layoffs were reported at two motor vehicle-related plants during the week.

Continued UI claims were up to 64,522. The remainder of total unemployment claims were filed by federal civilian employees and ex-military personnel.

Unemployment Insurance Trends

